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8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**

9 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

10 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

11 Plaintiff,

12 v.

13 THAMRONG EARL HILL,

14 Defendant.

Case No. 2:18-cr-00398-APG-NJK

**ORDER FOR
PREPARATION OF PRE-PLEA
PRESENTENCE INVESTIGATION
REPORT (PSR)**

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16 Defendant Thamrong Earl Hill requests the Court enter an order directing the United
17 States Department of Probation to prepare a Pre-Plea Presentence Investigation Report (PSR)
18 to determine the defendant's Criminal History.

19 On December 11, 2018, Mr. Hill was charged in a three-count indictment with Felon in
20 Possession of a Firearm in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 922(g) and Unlawful Possession or Transfer
21 of a Machine Gun in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 922(o). The parties are attempting to negotiate
22 this case. The parties believe that they may be able to resolve this case short of trial. Based on
23 defense counsel's review of Mr. Hill's criminal record, there appear to be a number of issues
24 with respect to how his prior convictions will be counted. To satisfy Mr. Hill's concerns and to
25 assure that he has the information he needs to make a truly knowing and intelligent decision, as
26 to whether to accept or reject a plea offer, he has requested that a Pre-Plea Presentence

1 Investigation Report be completed. Defense counsel has spoken with AUSA Kevin Schiff and
2 he does not oppose this motion.

3 **Conclusion**

4 For the foregoing reasons, Mr. Hill respectfully requests the Court order the United
5 States Department of Probation to prepare a Pre-Plea Presentence Investigation Report to
6 determine his Criminal History Points and corresponding Criminal History Category.

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8 DATED this 8th day of May, 2019.

9 RENE L. VALLADARES
10 Federal Public Defender

11 By: /s/ Kathryn C. Newman

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13 Assistant Federal Public Defender
14 Attorney for Thamrong Earl Hill

15 **ORDER**

16 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the United States Department of Probation shall
17 prepare a Pre-Plea Presentence Investigation Report (PSR) with respect to Defendant
18 Thamrong Earl Hill's Criminal History Points and corresponding Criminal History Category.

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UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

21 DATED: May 8, 2019
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